PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MARTH, Jamey D. et al.

Application No.: 10/089,525

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For: PREVENTION OF

ATHEROSCLEROSIS AND

UNDESIRED BLOOD CLOTTING

BY REDUCING VON WILLEBRAND FACTOR

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 9242

Examiner:

Ashen, Jonathan Benjamin

Art Unit:

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 7, 2005, on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.